

Appl. No. 10/027,269 Amendment dated May 22, 2003

## **Amendments to Specification**

Please replace the Abstract with the following rewritten paragraph:

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A tampon is adapted to deliver a therapeutic agent, the tampon including includes a body having a proximal end and a distal end, the The body including includes an absorbency zone adjacent the distal end, wherein the absorbency zone includes absorbent material; an application zone adjacent the proximal end and spaced apart from the distal end; and a therapeutic agent positioned substantially within the application zone. A method produces a device for delivering a therapeutic agent, the The method including includes manufacturing a tampon having a body with a distal end, a proximal end, an absorbency zone adjacent the distal end, and an application zone adjacent the proximal end; and locating a therapeutic agent substantially within the application zone.